

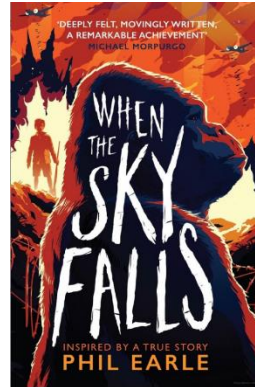
AUTHOR VISIT OPPORTUNITY FOR Y7 and Y8

Dear Parent/Guardian,

On **Monday 14th November**, your child will be attending an event at RGS with the author Phil Earle. He will be talking about his Carnegie short-listed book, *When the Sky Falls*, and his recent book, *While the Storm Rages* and about creative writing in general.

Experience has shown that pupils are very inspired to read the author's book after such a visit and this is a rare opportunity for them to purchase a book and have it personally signed and dedicated.

If your child would like a copy, the books cost **£7.00 each** and must be ordered in advance using the QR code or link below to take you to Little Ripon Bookshop's dedicated page:



<https://www.littleriponbookshop.co.uk/rgsphilearle>



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Research shows that author events in schools inspire children and help them on their journey to a love of reading.

‘The impact of an author visiting shouldn’t be underestimated. These are the types of things that people talk about when you ask them what they remember about school.’

Times Educational Supplement

‘Writers visiting schools can make a significant difference to a child’s attitudes to and enjoyment of writing, offering new perspectives on writing and what it can do.’

The Arts Council

We hope your child will benefit greatly from this visit
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